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Men's night

Tonight from 8 - 10 p.m., AAFES is hosting a "Men's Night" at the Ocean view exchange. Only men will be allowed to shop during this time.

Whopper weekend

Whoppers, double Whoppers, cheeseburgers and hamburgers are on sale 10 a.m. – 7 p.m. Saturday at the Lajes Elementary School. Other items that will be sold include sodas, milk shakes, Hershey pies and chips.

New Year's Eve

A New Year's Eve party is at the Top of the Rock club Dec. 31 6:30 p.m. – 5 a.m. The all-inclusive party includes dinner, all beverages, champagne at

midnight and breakfast. The U.S. Air Forces in Europe Band and "Cool Breeze" will play live music all night. For more information, call Pedro Lima 2-3202.

TV guide

Beginning in January Lajes will start receiving R&R Magazine. This contains a monthly AFN guide and will replace the TV guide pages in the Crossroads leaving more room for news.

Preflight

■ Days since last DUI Six
■DUIs since Jan. 1 Ten
■Current AEFBlue
■ Current FPCON Alpha plus
■Guest DJ Tune in!
■Next Strong Patriot . Dec. 22
■Combat Nighthawk: 1st Lt.
Daniel Sweeney, 65th Medical
Operations Squadron and Master
Sgt. Steven Law, 65th Logistics
Readiness Squadron and Tech
Sgt. Mary Perry, 65th Medical Air
Base Wing.

Last issue of the year

The next issue of the Crossroads will be published Jan. 9.

Cantata



Martha Frankie gives direction to the Bell Choir during the Christmas Cantata Sunday at the base chapel. The Christmas Cantata is a service of Christmas carols and holy scripture readings. More than 200 people showed up to see the event. (*Photos by Staff Sgt. Michelle Michaud*)

Keep safety first during holiday season

Gen. Robert H. "Doc" Foglesong Commander, U.S. Air Forces in Europe

RAMSTEIN AIR BASE, Germany - The holiday season is a time of great joy, however it's also a time of increased risk.

As we get together with family and friends and enjoy the festive events of this joyous time of year, I ask that all of our U.S. Air Forces Europe members also remain vigilant so together we can ensure this holiday is untouched by needless tragedy.

Vigilance means more than being aware of your surroundings; it also includes proper planning, identifying risks and developing a game plan that ensures safety. Europe allows for an abundance of great travel opportunities, but proper planning — to include checking weather and road conditions, getting plenty of rest before traveling, wearing a seatbelt, driving defensively and not mixing alcohol with holiday activities - are all essential to preventing mishaps and potential loss of life. Chief Coleman and I just did a higher Headquarters USAFE safety call - it's that important.

Being vigilant also means looking out for each other. Many of us will be taking this time to spend with family members. However, for those who are separated from family - particularly our single airmen - the winter months, and holiday season in particular, can be stressful. If you

see someone who is going to be alone for the holidays, invite them to spend time with you and your family. And if you see someone struggling, ask how you can help.

Enjoy the holiday season, but do it safely. The needless loss of even one life reduces our readiness, increases the stress on those left to carry on and inflicts a terrible emotional toll on our loved ones. I ask each of you to increase your vigilance, so when the much deserved pause is over, all of our USAFE team can return to work and do what we do best - protecting and defending our great nation.

Mary and I wish you and your family a safe and happy holiday season.

Focus Notes

Graduates

During the Services Customer College graduation Dec. 12, **Sheryl Bush**, 65th Services Squadron and Senior Airman **Amy Dare**, 65th Civil Engineer Squadron were recognized as the distinguished graduates. Other graduates were:

Staff Sgt. **Judy Kemp**, 65th Logistics Readiness Squadron

Tech. Sgt. **Anthony Patti**, 65th Medical Operations Squadron

Tech. Sgt. **Darrin Powers**, 65th MDOS

Tech. Sgt. **Katrinka Hansen**, 65th Mission Support Squadron

Mateus Leonardo, 65th Services Squadron

Tech. Sgt. **Ronald Brooks**, 729th Air Mobility Squadron

Airman 1st Class **Kara Boone**, 65th MSS

Amanda Cook, 65th SVS Airman Tia Miller, 65th LRS

 $\begin{array}{c} \textbf{JenniferEdmunds}, 65 th \\ SVS \end{array}$

Airman **Delora Oliver**, 65th Communications Squadron

Clean up

Lajes' Combat Proud Cleanup Day is Tuesday. Maps will be sent out to squadron commanders and agency chiefs. Each organization will be responsible for areas around their buildings. Units are additionally responsible for providing their own trash bags and taking the trash to established dumpster areas. CE will run a special trash route Wednesday. Large debris requiring removal can be reported to the 65th Civil Engineer customer service office at 2-3335, for pick-up.

Self-help project

Col. Barbara Jacobi and Chief Master Sgt. Doug Hodge will evaluate three self-help projects Tuesday. The best project will receive a plaque that will be awarded at monthly recognition ceremonies and \$1,000 in self-help prize money.

New system tracks workouts

by Staff Sgt. Olenda Kleffner Crossroads editor

A new computer system installed at the base fitness center will help Lajes members keep track of their workouts beginning in January.

Fitlinxx is a Web-based program that keeps track of cardiovascular and strength workouts, and it can be used to design a workout program, said Maj. Julie Moberg, 65th Air Base Wing point of conatact for Combat fitness.

The program was originally developed for private fitness facilities, and the Pacific Air Forces Command adopted the program in 2002. Nearly all of the bases in the U.S. Air Forces in Europe Command are having Fitlinxx installed now.

"I think Fitlinxx has a lot of potential because when it is fully up and running, it will allow people to monitor their workouts and progress, which has been proven to keep people in fitness programs long after the majority of people not using a program would have dropped out," Moberg said.

People also have the option of entering their information either at the fitness center or from anywhere else that has Internet access, said Bill Curry, fitness center director.

A kiosk will be installed in the fitness center where people can enter their workout data on the spot, or in January, when the system is up and running, people can enter there workout information on any



Alison Macgregor, Fitlinxx program manager, gives instructions to a class about how Fitlinxx works. Fitlinxx is a new Web-based program at the Lajes Fitness Center that will keep track of workouts beginning in January. (Photo by Guido Melo)

computer that has Internet access at http://lajes.fitlinxx.com.

Moberg said, later in 2004 the cardio and strength machines in the gym should be connected to the system allowing people to input their personal pin number and the workout will be logged automatically from those machines.

"This feature will be added to Lajes in the future; for right now, people have to log their own workout, whether they work out in the gym, run outside or lift weights at home," Moberg said.

All active duty airmen assigned here should be automatically entered into the system by the end of December. After everyone is in the system, airmen will have to go to the Website to register.

New troops to the base will fill

out paperwork during in processing, and their squadron fitness monitors will enter them into the system.

Civilians and dependents can also use Fitlinxx by having someone at the fitness center register them.

"Fitlinxx has a system of incentive points, with six different levels. Airmen can accumulate points with workout time, and there will be prizes including hats, tshirts, sweatshirts and gym bags awarded to people who reach these levels," Moberg said.

Moberg said USAFE personnel are going to begin looking at the fitness activity of active duty airmen quarterly as part of the Combat Fitness program beginning in January. The USAFE goal is to make sure everyone does cardiovascular and strength training activity at least 12 times each month.

Cookie time



Judges taste cookies entered in the cookie contest at the base library Wednesday. The grand prize winners were Janie Casserly and Larry Scoggins. There were also winners for taste and appearance of the cookies. About 25 adults and children entered the contest. (Photo by Staff Sqt. Michelle Michaud)

AMS stops 70 from drinking and driving

by 1st Lt Aaron Wiley Crossroads Staff

The Lajes Top 3 recently recognized the 729th Air Mobility Squadron's 70 "saves" for the month of November in the Anti-DUI Van.

"Typically, on any given night, only a couple of individuals take advantage of the van, "said Master Sqt. Larry Yates, member of the Top 3 organization in charge of the program.

The 729th multiplied participation, averaging more than five people per night for the 13 nights the van was available in November.

"I've never had more than four passengers in one night and have had several nights with no passengers at all," Yates said. "The AMS folks must have done an exceptional job making themselves known and available during the month."

Staff Sot. Rafael Pena-Perez, who took advantage of the ride home, said the driver, an AMS airman, was advertising the van's availability before and throughout the night.

"It's a sure and safe way of getting home," said Perez, who's sister was killed by a drunk driver in the same month a year ago, "and you don't have to worry about doing yourself or anyone else and their family

There have been 10 DUIs here since Jan. 1, 2003, nine more than the one during 2002. The 65th Security Forces Squadron commander is working with Air Base 4 to increase checkpoints.

This year's stats are:

DUIs per month April - 1 May - 2 July - 1 September - 2 October - 2 November - 1

LRS - 1

DUIs per squadron

AMS - 4 CE - 1 OSS - 1 SFS - 2

DoDDs dependent - 1

any harm."

The van, which is available Thursday through Saturday from 11 p.m. until the Top of the Rock Club's lounges close, is used to transport people from the club to the military family housing areas or Santa Rita Hill circle.

December - 1

"No prior arrangements are needed, and anyone with access to the club is encouraged to use the van," said Yates.

Drivers wear a clip-on tag and can be located by asking the bartender, DJ or night manager. Yates said the club supports the volunteers by asking the DJ to announce and identify the drivers during the evening and by providing them with complimentary non-alcoholic bever-

"It was a rewarding experience to know that your service may have actually saved someone's life or career," said Lt Col. Steve Sorensen, 729th AMS commander, who showed his support by volunteering as a driver.

Master Sgt. Jan Bunting, and the AMS's organizer for the program, rounded up 21 drivers from all three flights, including civilians, to support the 729th's effort.

The squadron began keeping track of their "saves" when they participated in the program last year. Master Sgt. Renae Cushing and Master Sgt. Beth Epperson, the unit's organizers for 2002, recorded 18 in July 2002.

"I'm not aware of any other squadron that has kept a tally of their efforts," Yates said, who likes the idea. "It has inspired a new quarterly competition, sponsored by the club, that will begin next year. The organization's drivers who have the most passengers during their month will be awarded with a pizza party."

Sorensen said participating in the program was a great way to build camaraderie by volunteering to help out the community and fellow Airmen.

"We need to highlight the 729th's success, said Yates. "The timing is perfect!"

With the holiday celebrations that are lined up for the next couple of weeks and the recent rise of Lajes DUIs, the increase in the van's use can play a major role in preventing unnecessary tragedies this holiday season.

Sorensen extended the invitation to everyone that will be drinking during the holiday celebrations to "leave your car at home, and leave the driving to

COLA compensates for overseas living costs

by Tech. Sqt. Mona Ferrell **USAFE News Service**

RAMSTEIN AIR BASE, Germany - Although the Euro continues to gain strength against the American dollar, U.S. Air Forces in Europe members can be assured they will continue to be provided with the proper Cost of Living Allowance, said USAFE officials recently.

Foreign currency rate changes are continually reviewed in high-cost living areas and the COLA rate is changed accordingly, said Lt. Col. Catherine McLoud, USAFE Accounting and Finance operations branch chief.

COLA, a monetary allowance provided to members living in highcost areas, ensures all military members have the same buying power, whether living overseas or in the Continental United States

"Several factors routinely impact COLA," McLoud said. "A Retail Price Survey is conducted each year to assess the costs and typical local economy buy rate of more than 160 items and services. These items, ranging from meats to various entertainment purchases such as books or video tapes, are meant to give the true purchase-price picture for goods and services in each high-cost living

The survey results for each area are then provided to the Department of Defense Per Diem Committee in Washington, D.C., she said. The Per Diem Committee analyzes the data and assigns each location an index number indicating the cost difference between purchasing those same items in the United States.

"For instance, the index for Ramstein Air Base, Germany, is currently .26," said McLoud. "This indicates that our military members pay 26 percent more here for those 160 items than they would in the CO-NUS. This percentage difference is then calculated into the COLA rate."

A Living Pattern Survey is also conducted every three years to gather information on whether members purchase goods and services on base or on the local economy, said Master Sqt. Michael Windsor, USAFE Financial Management chief of command travel pay and procedures.

"In this survey, the purchases are weighted in the overall index. For example, groceries are weighted more than reading materials,"

"Using Ramstein Air Base as an example again, the current LPS indicates that military members in this area make one quarter of their purchases off base. This ratio is taken into consideration when calculating the COLA rate here. These purchase percentages, on- or off-base, help determine the impact exchange rate fluctuations have on the overall COLA rate," he said.

But, the factor that has the most noticeable impact on a member's COLA is foreign currency rate changes, said McLoud.

"The Per Diem committee makes undates as often as twice a month, on the first and fifteenth of the month," she said. "If during that twoweek period the cumulative cost of off-base spending has increased or decreased at least five percent, then the index number is changed and members receive an increase or decrease in their cost of living allowance accordingly.

Although the exchange rate fluctuates daily, it takes two weeks to adjust the military pay computer tables. But, this two-week adjustment works both ways, McLoud stressed.

"For instance, let's say the foreign

exchange rate gets better, and the Per Diem Committee determines that a COLA decrease is required," she said. "That decrease won't be seen until two weeks later, so during that time we're getting a COLA rate higher than what it's costing us to purchase goods. The same could be said if the COLA increases. It takes two weeks to see a change in our paychecks whether the rate increases or decreases. Over time, the COLA rates balance out and we're getting the money we need to purchase the items we want, where we want."

The statistics behind COLA may be complicated, but it's an allowance that's fair, Windsorsaid.

"USAFE members are being affected by the dropping Euro exchange rate, however the DOD is taking care of them through COLA adjustments," he said. "Overtime, all military members, whether living in England, Germany or any other part of Europe, are properly compensated for the high costs associated with overseas living."

More information about COLA rates can be found on the Per Diem Committee Web site located at:http:/ /www.dtic.mil/perdiem/ocform.html

Keep Informed

High school students visit Angra history

by EduardoLima Community Relations coordinator

A group of 21 Lajes High School students and two teachers took the opportunity to learn more about the local Azorean history, Dec. 12, when they visited the São João Batista Fortress in Angra.

The 9th graders were participating in a field trip to the fort located in Mount Brazil in Angra, which is currently occupied by the Portuguese Army's Regiment of Garrison No.1.

Building the fort began in the beginning of the 17th century by order of Phillip II of Spain, who was also the King of Portugal at the time, after the Spanish invaded the island, to better protect the galleons and other ships returning from India.

It was completed in 1640, the year the Portuguese people regained its independence from the Spanish rule. The fort withstood a year-long siege carried out by the rebellious Terceira inhabitants against the Spanish occupants after the former had learned about the restoration of independence three months after it actually took place.

"The trip was a great experience for the



Primeiro Sargento (Tech. Sgt.) Paulo Matos talks to the Lajes High School students about the history of the Fort located on Mont Brazil. (*Photo by Denise Linde*)

students. They don't often have an opportunity to learn about Angra, which is an important city for Terceira," said Denise Linde, a DoDDS teacher who accompanied the students. "I know they really enjoyed the guide and his description of the fort in battle and especially the dungeon-prison."

LaShae Harris, one of the students also enjoyed the trip very much.

"When I first arrived here in the Azores, I thought it was just a small island with small

history. This field trip actually gave me a new insight of the island's history, and I learned a lot about the Spanish and the Portuguese in the 1600s to 1800s," said Harris.

The fort actually has more to offer than just the big walls. It also features old cannons that were used to fight enemy ships, the dungeon-prisons where some important political prisoners were imprisoned at the beginning of the century, the fake door, and the drawbridge.

"The trip to Angra fits so integrally into a healthy view of knowledge growth. Our objective was to deepen our appreciation for Terceira and its history and to respond with a poem that would contain and give shape to our impressions," said Thomas Birch, DoDDS teacher who accompanied the students.

Kayla Ashby thought the trip was fun and a great learning experience. She said their assignment was to write a poem describing one of the different parts of the fort.

"There were so many different places to choose from that it made the poem writing fun and enjoyable. I learned so much about the history of Spain, Portugal, the Azores and Terceira in particular. It is something I would definitely do again," said Ashby.



Earthquake

Tech. Sgt. Shawn Darragh, 65th Medical Group, checks the pulse of Airman 1st Class Lillie Briano, 65th Communications Squadron, who played a victim during the earthquake exercise here Monday. The earthquake exercise tested different facilities response time and included off base facility damage and mass casualties. (Photo by Staff. Sgt. Michelle Michaud)



Assignment listing available

RANDOLPH AIR FORCE BASE, Texas — The Enlisted Quarterly Assignment Listing for people returning from overseas May through July will be available Jan. 13.

Individuals should contact their military personnel flights to update their preferences by Jan. 30, said officials at the Air Force Personnel Center here. Airmen will be notified of their selection by mid-February.

EQUAL advertises upcoming assignment requirements by Air Force specialty code and rank. Airmen should review, prioritize and update their assignment preferences based on the EQUAL list, officials said.

People can view the lists from the AFPC home page at https://afas.afpc.randolph.af.mil/amsweb/ master.cfm, or at their MPFs. Those on temporary duty during the advertising period can contact the nearest personnel office for assistance. (Air Force Print News)

Hoaxes affect cardholders

WASHINGTON — A recent e-mail hoax targeted government purchasing cardholders in an attempt to gain vital account information.

The e-mail message linked users to a Web-based form, which fraudulently requested key information such as Social Security number, credit card account numbers and expiration dates.

"This is really uncommon," said Josephine Davis, Air Force banking officer. "What you see most frequently is some organization trying to pick up a slogan or relationship to (General Services Administration) because GSA administers the government purchasing contract."

"Don't give out your account number over the phone unless you're making the call to a company you know is reputable," according to the Federal Trade Commission's Web site. "If you have questions about a company, check it out with your local consumer protection office or Better Business Bureau."

While the cardholder is ultimately responsible for resolving the issue, the program coordinator can help work with the card company.

Once a card is lost or stolen, or any other type of fraud is detected, the customer should immediately call the credit card issuer, according to the FTC Web site

"By law, once you report the loss or theft, you have no further responsibility for unauthorized charges," according to the site. "In any event, your maximum liability under federal law is \$50 per card."



Nickolas Pryde, son of Billy and Tech. Sgt. Patrick Pryde, receives a candy cane from Santa at Santa's Workshop Saturday at the Community Center. Gift baskets, made with goods donated from school children, were auctioned off, and gift baskets were available for children to purchase. (Photo by Staff Sgt. Olenda Kleffner)

Team Lajes celebrates the season



(Above) Glen Wren, the Lajes High School Choir director, conducts the choir during their Christmas concert Tuesday at the high school gym. (Right) Tech. Sgt. Dan Hammond, 65th Civil Engineer Squadron, wraps Christmas presents, donated for the Angel Tree, at the base chapel Monday. About 300 gifts were donated and wrapped for the local children. (*Photos by Guido Melo*)



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Happy holidays, Team Lajes

Col. Barbara Jacobi 65th Air Base Wing commander

It's that time of year again - homes and streets are decked out in holiday lights, and brightly decorated Christmas trees are visible in offices, dorn rooms and houses.

It's been a very eventful year for us at Lajes and for the world, and with finding Saddam Hussein this past weekend, we're all more hopeful that we'll soon see our deployed service members return home to their families, especially during this very special season.

This is a festive time full of family and individual traditions that help keep us connected to the past while focusing on and enriching the present. As Charles Dickens said, "Reflect upon your present blessings, of which every man has plenty; not on your past misfortunes, of which all men have some."

The holidays are also a time of good will to all. The Grinch was described of not liking the season because "his heart was two sizes too small." Well, there are many folks at Lajes who've shown they are good neighbors in many ways, and that their hearts are definitely two sizes too biq!

The chapel's "Sock and Slipper" drive helped make sure our neighbors in the Praia nursing home have warm feet. The base Orphanage Christmas Party is bringing joy to 180 kids from local area orphanages. Our Angel tree has helped over 200 local children have a merrier Christmas with the caring donations

from base personnel. And as always, our Chapel Charities Closet offers clothing, household goods and even some furniture to folks who need a little help.

Along with good will and taking care of neighbors, the holidays are also a time of celebrations and parties with family and friends. Along with the merriment comes the need for holiday safety. At parties, we relax because we have more free time, but we can't relax our guard. It's still dangerous and illegal to drink and drive - that doesn't change because of the holidays. The roads at night are darkand narrow, so caution is necessary when we're on our way home after spending time with friends.

Be safe at home, too. Avoid fire hazards such as multiple extension cords, overloaded outlets or flammable materials next to heaters, fireplaces or outlets. When cooking, keep flammables and loose clothing away from gas stoves, and be sure to have a fire extinguisher nearby. Keep valuables away from windows, so people aren't tempted to break in, and make sure doors and windows are locked when you're away from home. Also, keep an eye out for suspicious folks in the neighborhoods, and report those you see to security forces personnel.

With a combination of warm hearts and holiday safety, all of Team Lajes will be able to relax and savor the richness of the season. Let's foster among all Team Lajes members a genuine spirit of good will that will last throughout the year.

Have a happy and safe holiday season.

General sends greeting

WASHINGTON—The following is a holiday message from the chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, Air Force Gen. Richard B. Myers:

"For generations, U.S. servicemen and women and government civilians have spent the holiday season far from loved ones so that all Americans can celebrate the peace, prosperity and liberty that our Armed Forces have fought to protect.

"Today, you continue to keep steadfast watch across the globe, from bases on land, planes overhead, and ships at sea; from distant, remote locations, and within our own borders.

"During this holiday season, the United States is asking much of you — and you are responding with a strong sense of duty, a willingness to give

up personal comfort for the greater good, and the professionalism that has earned our military services honor and respect throughout the world. It is never easy to be away from home, but especially during the holiday season, the courage, patiotism and unconditional support of families and loved ones mean so very much.

"Your service and the sacrifices of your families come at a crucial moment in our nation's history. Your dedicated work is making the world a better, safer, and more peaceful place. I am inspired by your character and courage, and I am extremely proud to serve with you.

"The Joint Chiefs of Staff join me in sending to you and your families our very warmest wishes for a wonderful holiday season."

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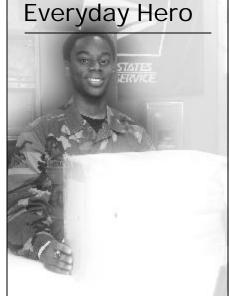
CALL 2-4240

The Action Line is your means of addressing a problem, concern or challenge to me about something in the 65th Air Base Wing or U.S. Forces Azores.

However, your chain of command should always be your first option. When that's not the answer, then call the Action Line at 2-4240 and I'll address it quickly and with care. Thank you!

> **Col. Barbara Jacobi** 65th Air Base Wing Commander





Airman 1st Class Alix Bourand

65th Communications Squadron

Duty Title: Postal clerk

Job description: Dispatch and process incoming mail also accountable mail. Customer service, the section I enjoy working the most, where I sell stamps, money orders place postage on outgoing mail and work the pick up window.

How long have you been in the Air Force: Two years, seven months

How long have you been at Lajes: Four months

What's the best aspect of your job: Everybody has to check their mail or mail out a package sometime while they're here at Lajes. So you meet a lot of people. I often have people come up to me and say "I've seen you before and 'I tell them' the post office." So I meet and make a lot friends working at the post office. But with meeting and making friends comes the most popular question the post office hears all the time. Did I get any mail? (Senior Airman Shakeisha Perkins)

Why did you join the Air Force: To travel

What are your career goals: To be CHIEF MASTER SERGEANT OF THE AIR FORCE

Life goal: To own my own Barbershop not because of the movie or anything, but it's something that's always had my attention. Plus it's something I enjoy doing.

Best Air Force Experience: Being deployed last year. I was in the United Arab Emirates and this was before the war really started. But to see their culture and the way the way they live was something new to me. Honestly I couldn't see myself doing that three years ago.

Hometown: Miami (Flawda)
One word to describe you: Humorous
Hobbies: Listening to music, basketball
and reading

Favorite food: My mama's greens and sweet potatoes and combread. With a big ole glass of her "red" kool-aid!

Pet peeves: Laziness and liars

No one knows I'm: I'm in the military! Since I look so young I get questioned a lot on being a dependent. Maybe I will get a little recognition now that I'm the "Everyday Hero"

StatSheet

Men's Basketball

Team	W	L	PF	PA
SFS	1	0	44	35
JAMS #1	1	0	47	16
Vitorinos	1	0	50	43
OSS	0	1	43	50
LRS	0	1	35	44
JAMS#2	0	1	16	47

Upcoming games Monday

5:30PM LRS vs. COMM 6:30PM SFS vs. Vitorinos 7:30PM JAMS #1 vs. Angra

Wednesday

5:30PM JAMS#2 vs. SFS 6:30PM Vitorinos vs. JAMS #1 7:30PM Angra vs. OSS

Scores

Dec. 1

AMS 53 COMM 36 CES 63 Vitorinos 47 CES/Fire Dept 59 Angra 48

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Thursday

5:30PM CES/Fire vs. CES 6:30PM AMS vs. LRS 7:30PM JAMS#2 vs. OSS

Darts

Team	W	L	PF	PA
AMS	3	1	24	12
COMM#2	3	1	19	17
COMM#1	2	1	20	7
LRS	2	1	16	9
CES	1	1	9	9
OSS	1	1	7	10
COMM#3	1	2	16	11
Medics	0	3	3	23
SFS	0	2	1	17

Scores

Dec. 1

COMM-3 6 COMM-1 3

Play time



Aubrionna Johnson, daughter of Jennifer and Staff Sgt. Paris Johnson, pulls Justin Jones', son of Janine and Master Sgt. Michael Jones, flag during the last flag football game Saturday. The Lajes youth center is accepting applications for the upcoming basketball and cheerleading season. Youths 4-18 are eligible. Games will run from January-March. Volunteer coaches are also needed. For more information, call Jolene Wilkinson at 2-1197. (Photo by Staff Sgt. Olenda Kleffner)

Air Force releasing fitness instruction

by Staff Sgt. C. Todd Lopez Air Force Print News

WASHINGTON — One of the most noticeable changes to the Air Force's new fitness program is that it will be defined by an operational rather than a medical instruction.

The change shows that senior leaders consider fitness an important part of operational readiness, said Maj. Lisa Schmidt, the Air Force chief of health promotions operations.

"As we support the aerospace expeditionary force and the environments we now deploy to, fitness becomes a readiness issue," Schmidt said. "If a person is fit, they are going to be able to tolerate austere environments, the fatigue and the temperature changes."

The full text of the Air Force's new fitness instruction will be available to the force before Jan. 1, she said. The planned release comes less than five months after the service's highest ranking officer told airmen there would be changes in the way the Air Force

looked at physical fitness.

"The amount of energy we devote to our fitness programs is not consistent with the growing demand of our warrior culture," wrote Air Force Chief of Staff Gen. John P. Jumper in his July Sight Picture. "It's time

to change that."
Besides
making physical
fitness a readiness
requirement, the
new instruction also
puts an emphasis on commander
involvement in unit fitness
programs.

"If you look at the July Sight Picture, General Jumper says fitness is a commander's responsibility," Schmidt said. "This instruction puts more responsibility on the commander, not the medical community."

Among other things, the instruction requires unit and squadron commanders to implement and maintain a unit physical-training program and to

offer the program at least three times a week.

methodology for conducting fitness evaluations. Schmidt said the instructions for conducting the push-up and crunch portions of the evaluation should be no surprise to airmen. They are the same instructions that have been used at the end of the cycle-ergometry test for the last two years.

"The only change is that the push-ups and crunches will be evaluated for one minute, instead of two minutes," Schmidt said.

The instruction also specifies how to conduct the aerobic portion of the test. Airmen will run on an outdoor course approved by the wing commander. During inclement weather, an indoor running track may be used.

Treadmills will not be authorized for fitness evaluations.

The new fitness instruction takes effect Jan. 1, and will make obsolete the current fitness and weight-management instructions, Air Force Instruction 40-501 and AFI 40-502.



12:00 PM

38- Headline News

39- The Life Of Mammals 12:22 PM

38- Pacific Report

12:30 PM 38- Tonight Show With Jay Leno

40- ESPNews

1:00 PM 36- Headline News

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1:30 PM

36- World News This Morning

37- The Weekenders: Talent Show/ Relative Boredom 38- The Late Show With David Letterman

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36- World News This Morning

2:00 PM 36- The Early Show

37- As Told By Ginger 39- Iron Chef:Noodle/Chen Vs Toshiyuki

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2:30 PM 37- Chalk Zone:Birdhouse Blues\ The

Original Chalkzone Pilot\ Bushel Full O'

Yum\ Rudy's Story 38- Access Hollywood

3:00 PM

37- Jeopardy! 38- The Preacher's Wife

39- Rugrats: Changes For Chuckie

40- Sportscenter 3:30 PM

37- Headline News

39- Spongebob Squarepants Tv-7: -Welcome To The Chum Bucket /

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37- ESPNews

39- The Simpsons:Bye Bye Nerdy 40- Inside The NFL

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5:00 PM

36- Primetime 37- King Of The Hill:Be True To Your Fool 39- Charmed:Centennial Charmed

40- Sportscenter 5:15 PM

38- Snow Day

5:30 PM 37- That 70's Show:Black Dog

6:00 PM

36- Fox News Live

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39- Savage Earth:Out Of The Inferno 40- ESPNews

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36- Inside Politics 40- ESPNews

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36- Lester Holt Live

38- Bear In The Big Blue House Yr. 6:Volunteers Of Woodland Valley

39- Buffy The Vampire Slayer:Shadow

40- Around The Horn 9:30 PM

37- The Late Show With David Letterman 38- Franklin:Franklin Stays Up/Franklin's

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37- Access Hollywood 38- The Fairly Oddparents

11:00 PM

36- ABC World News Tonight 37- The Preacher's Wife

38- Yu-Gi-Oh! Tv-7: - The Dueling Monkey

36- CBS Evening News 38- The Proud Family:Who You Callin' A

Sissy 40- NBA Shootaround

Saturday

12:00 AM

36- The Newshour 38- Outward Bound: Costa Rica/ Colorado

7v-7: - Episode 18 39- Living Better With Carrie Wiatt 40- NBA - Detroit Pistons vs. Indiana

Pacers

12:30 AM

The Best Of:Italian Dishes

39- Homes With Style:Country Living Presents Garden Entertaining

36- Hannity & Colmes 38- Trading Spaces Family:North Carolina: Dogwood Trail 39- While You Were Out

1:15 AM 37- Snow Day

2:00 AM

36- The News With Brian Williams 38- Friday Night Fights - Cruiserweight Title Bout: O'neil Bell Vs Derrick Harmon

39- The AMazing Race:He's A Few Ticks Away From Having A Heart Attack! 2:30 AM

40- NBA - San Antonio Spurs vs. Seattle Supersonics

3:00 AM

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39- The View

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10:00 AM 36- Dateline NBC

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Tonight, 7 p.m: "Texas Chainsaw Massacre," R, 100 min. Jessica Biel. Five 20-somethings find themselves stranded in a small Texas town, where they encounter a chainsawwielding maniac known as Leatherface; 10 p.m: "Kill Bill," R, 111 min. Uma Thurman. An assassin named the Bride is shot by her boss at her wedding, the wedding guests are also shot.

Saturday, 7 p.m: "In the Cut," R, 118 min. Franny, a New York City professor dives into a passionate, possibly dangerous affair with a police officer who is investigating the murder of a young woman.

p.m: "Texas Chainsaw Massacre." Tuesday: "In the Cut." (Note: The theater is closed

Wednesday and Thursday)

Sunday, 2 p.m: "Kill Bill"; 7

11:00 AM

36- CNN Saturday Morning 37- WWE Raw! 38- Law & Order: Special Victims

Unit:Privilege 39- Gilmore Girls:That'll Do Pig

40- NHL - Colorado Avalanche vs. Anaheim Mighty Ducks

12:00 PM

36- 20/20 37- One On One:The One About Your Friends

38- Headline News 39- The Division:Mother's Day 12:30 PM

37- According To Jim:The Brother-In-Law

38- Saturday Night Live 03'-04':SNL Christmas Special 2002 Encore 1:00 PM 36- Saturday Today 37- The Practice:The Making Of A Trial

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39- A Season For Miracles 1:30 PM

40- NFL Live

2:00 PM 37- Law & Order: Special Victims

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40- Sportscenter

3:00 PM 3:00 PM 36- Wall Street Journal 37- Headline News

38- The Entertainers

39- The View 3:30 PM

36- AMerica's Black Forum 37- Navy/Marine Corps News 40- NFL Countdown

4:00 PM 36- News From CNN

37- College Basketball - Acc: Texas vs. Duke

38- College Basketball - Big Ten: Kentucky vs. Indiana

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11:00 PM 36- Capital Gang

38- Wishbone:Digging Up The Past 39- Swamp Critters Of The Lost Lagoon:Christmas 11:30 PM

38- Army Newswatch 39- Harvest With Greg Laurie - Satisfaction For The Spiritually Thirsty

Sunday

12:00 AM

36- Washington Week In Review 37- ESPNews 38- NFL Primetime

39- Precepts For Life:Why AM I? Pt. 2 12:30 AM

36- Headline News 36- Freatime News 37- Live In Hollywood 38- NFL - New England Patriots vs. Ny Jets 39- Real Videos:AMy Morriss

40- ESPNews

1:00 AM 36- People In The News

39- The Simpsons:Homer Badman 40- Golf - Wendy's Three Tour Challenge:

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39- Malcolm In The Middle

2:00 AM 36- CNN Saturday Night 39- Everybody Loves Raymond:Separation

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39- The King Of Queens: Class Struggle

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37- Headline News 39- AMerican Dreams:The Pursuit Of Happiness

40- College Football - 2003 Ncaa Division Iii Football Championship: Teams Tbd 3:30 AM 37- Hour Of Power - Episode 87

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Today

AAFES: Flightline BX: Open 10 a.m.-8 p.m.; Ocean View BX: Open 10 a.m.-8 p.m.; Shoppette: Open 9 a.m.-11 p.m.

Beauty Shop: Open 10 a.m.-6 p.m.

Chapel: Catholic Rosary for Peace in the World, 6:30 a.m.; Mass, 7 a.m., Confessions 3-3:30 p.m.; CWOC Mass (1st Friday of the month) 5:30 p.m.

Fitness Center: Open 5 a.m.-midnight.

Child Development Center: 7 a.m.-5:30 p.m.

Community Activities Center: Open 10 a.m.-8 p.m.

Commissary: Open 10 a.m.-6 p.m.

Dining Hall: Breakfast 6-8:30 a.m., Lunch 11 a.m. - 1:30 p.m., Seafood Newburg, Beef and Com Pie, and Roast Turkey; Dinner 4 - 7 p.m., Simmered Corn Beef, Pineapple Chicken, Yankee Pot Roast. Midnight meal 11 p.m.-1:30 a.m.

Dry Cleaners: Open 10 a.m.-6 p.m.

Gas Station: Open 10 a.m.-6 p.m.

Library: Open 10 a.m.-6 pm. Oceanview Island Grill: Lasagna, fries or salad and drink; Open 11 a.m.-11 p.m.

Outdoor Recreation: Open 10 a.m.-7 p.m.

School Lunch: Sliced turkey, mashed potatoes & gravy, dinner roll, seasoned green beans, chilled fruit mixed, milk

Skating Rink: Open 7-11 p.m. Skills Development Center: Open 10 a.m.-6 p.m.

Teen Center: Teen social, 9 p.m.-midnight.

Top of the Rock Club: Lunch 11 a.m.-1:30 p.m., seafood buffet. Dinner 5-9 p.m., Prime and Wine

Saturday

AAFES: Flightline BX: Open 10 a.m.-8 p.m.; Ocean View BX: Open 10 a.m.-8 p.m.; Shoppette: Open 9 a.m.-11 p.m.

Beauty Shop: Open 10 a.m.-6 p.m.

Chapel: Gospel praise team practice, 10 a.m.; Mass, 10 a.m.; Fitness Center: Open 8 a.m.-7 p.m.

Child Development Center: Closed

Community Activities Center: Open 10 a.m.-8 p.m.

Commissary: Open 10 a.m.-6 p.m.

Dining Hall: Brunch 7 a.m.-1 p.m., Savory Baked Chicken, Swedish Meatballs, and Creole Shrimp; Supper 4 - 7 p.m., Baked Fish, Hungarian Goulash, BBQ Chicken. Midnight meal 11 p.m.-1 a.m.

Dry Cleaners: 10 a.m.-4 p.m.

Gas Station: Open 10 a.m.-6 p.m.

Library: 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Oceanview Island Grill: Open 11 a.m.-11 p.m.

Outdoor Recreation: Open 10 a.m.-7 p.m.

Skating Rink: Open 7-11 p.m. Skills Development Center: Open 10 a.m.-6 p.m.

Teen Center: Teen social 8 p.m.-midnight.

Top of the Rock Club: Brunch 8:30 a.m.-noon. Huff and Fin dinner special 5-9 p.m.

Sunday

AAFES: Flightline BX: Open 10 a.m.-5 p.m.; Ocean View BX: Open 10 a.m.-5 p.m.; Shoppette: Open noon-8 p.m.

Beauty Shop: Closed Chapel: Evangelical service, 8:50 a.m.; Catholic religious education, 9 a.m.; Mass, 10:30 a.m.; Sunday school, 10:30 a.m.; Gospel service, noon; Catholic Choir Rehearsal 4 p.m.; Mass, 5 p.m.; Rosary and Adoration 5:40 p.m.

Fitness Center: Open 8 a.m.-7 p.m.

Child Development Center: Closed

Community Activities Center: Open noon-5 p.m.

Commissary: Open 11 a.m.-4 p.m.

Dining Hall: Brunch 7 a.m.-1 p.m., Oven Fried Fish, Cantonese Spareribs, Grilled Mustardy Chicken; Supper 4 - 7 p.m., Stir Fry Beef w/ Broccoli, Turkey Nuggets, Steak, Loin Strip; Short Order: Cheese Pizza and Reuben Sandwich.

Dry Cleaners: Closed
Gas Station: 10 a.m.-5p.m. (Gas

Library: Open 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Oceanview Island Grill: Open 11 a.m.-11 p.m.

Outdoor Recreation: Open 11 a.m.-7 p.m.

Skating Rink: Closed Skills Development Center: Closed.

Top of the Rock Club: Bits & Bites menu, 4 p.m.

Monday

AAFES: Flightline BX: Open 10 a.m.-8 p.m.; Ocean View BX: Open 10 a.m.-8 p.m.; Shoppette: Open 9 a.m.-11 p.m.

Beauty Shop: Closed Chapel: Catholic Rosary for Peace in the World, 6:30 a.m.; Mass, 11:30 a.m.; Women's Bible study, 7 p.m.

Fitness Center: Open 5 a.m.midnight

Child Development Center: Open 7 a.m.-5:30 p.m.

Community Activities Center: Closed

Commissary: Open 10 a.m.-6 p.m.

Dining Hall: Breakfast 6-8:30 a.m., Lunch 11 a.m.-1:30 p.m., Pot Roast, Baked Stuffed Fish, Roast Pork Loin; Dinner 4 - 7 p.m., Beef Canelloni, Chili Mac, and Southern fried chicken. Midnight meal 11 p.m.-1:30 a.m.

Dry Cleaners: Open 9 a.m.-1 p.m.

Gas Station: Open 10 a.m.-5 p.m. (Gas only)

Library: Open 4-9 p.m. Oceanview Island Grill: Meatball sandwich, fries or salad and drink; Open 11 a.m.-11 p.m.

Outdoor Recreation: Closed School Lunch: Christmas Break Skills Development Center: Closed

Top of the Rock Club: Lunch, 11 a.m.-1:30 p.m., Southern buffet.

Tuesday

AAFES: Flightline BX: Open 10 a.m.-8 p.m.; Ocean View BX: Open 10 a.m.-8 p.m.; Shoppette: Open 9 a.m.-11 p.m.

Beauty Shop: Open 10 a.m.-6

Chapel: Catholic Rosary for Peace in the World, 6:30 a.m.; Mass, 7 a.m.; Confessions 3-3:30 p.m.; AWANA 5:30 p.m.; Catholic Women of the Chapel (3rd Tuesday of the month), 7 p.m.

Fitness Center: Open 5 a.m.-midnight

Child Development Center: Open 7 a.m.-5:30 p.m.

Community Activities Center: Open 10 a.m.-8 p.m.

Commissary: Open 10 a.m.-6 p.m.

Dining Hall: Breakfast 6-8:30 a.m., Lunch 11 a.m.-1:30 p.m., Teriyaki Chicken, Veal Parmesan, and Salmon Cakes; Dinner 4 - 7 p.m., Country Captain Chicken, Meat Loaf, Turkey a La King. Midnight meal 11 p.m.-1:30 a.m.

Dry Cleaners: Open 10 a.m.-6 o.m.

Gas Station: Open 10 a.m.-6 p.m.

Library: Open 10 a.m.-9 p.m. Oceanview Island Grill: 16" pizza with 2 toppings and drinks; Open 11 a.m.-11 p.m.

Outdoor Recreation: Open 10 a.m.-7 p.m.

School Lunch: Christmas Break Skills Development Center: Open noon-8 p.m.

Top of the Rock Club: Lunch, 11 a.m.-1:30 p.m., Mexican buffet. Dinner 5-9 p.m.

Wednesday

AAFES: Flightline BX: Open 10 a.m.-6 p.m.; Ocean View BX: Open 10 a.m.-6 p.m.; Shoppette: Open 9 a.m.-11 p.m.

Beauty Shop: Open 10 a.m.-6 p.m.

Chapel: Catholic Rosary for Peace in the World, 6:30 a.m.; Mass, 7 a.m.; Bible Study Fellowship 11:45 a.m.; Confessions 3-3:30 p.m.; Protestant candlelight service 7 p.m.; Catholic carol sing, 11:30 p.m.; Midnight Mass

Fitness Center: Open 5 a.m.-

Child Development Center: 7 a.m.-5:30 p.m.

Community Activities Center: Open 10 a.m.-8 p.m.

Commissary: Open 10 a.m.-6

Dining Hall: Breakfast 6-8:30 a.m., Lunch 11 a.m.-1:30 p.m., BBQ Ham Steak, Turkey and Noodles, and Beef Ball Stroganoff; Dinner 4 - 7 p.m., Lemon-Herbed Chicken, BBQ Spareribs, and Stuffed Pork Chops. Midnight meal 11 p.m.-1:30 a.m.

Dry Cleaners: Open 10 a.m.-6 p.m.

Gas Station: Open 10 a.m.-6 p.m.

Library: Open 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Oceanview Island Grill: Fried shrimp, fries or salad and drink; Open 11 a.m.-11 p.m.

Outdoor Recreation: Open 10 a.m.-7 p.m.

School Lunch: Christmas Break Top of the Rock Club: Lunch, 11 a.m.-1:30 p.m., Italian Buffet. Dinner 5-9 p.m. Family Buffet

Thursday

AAFES: Flightline BX: Closed; Ocean View BX: Closed; Shoppette: Closed

Beauty Shop: Closed Chapel: Christmas Mass 10:30

Fitness Center: Closed Child Development Center:

Community Activities Center: Closed

Commissary: Closed
Dining Hall: Breakfast 6-8:30
a.m., Christmas Day Meal 11 a.m.-3
p.m.; Dinner 4 - 7 p.m., Roast Loin of
Pork, Jaegerschnitzel, and Glazed
Cornish Hen.; Midnight meal 11
p.m.-1:30 a.m.

Dry Cleaners: Closed
Gas Station: Closed
Library: Closed
Oceanview Island Grill: Closed
Outdoor Recreation: Closed
School Lunch: Christmas Break
Skills Development Center:
Closed

Top of the Rock Club: Closed

Holiday Hours

Post Office thru Dec 31 Pickup window: Monday-Friday 10 a.m.- 7 p.m.; Saturday 10 a.m. - 2 p.m.; closed Sunday

and Christmas Day

Cashier window: Monday Friday 10 a.m. - 5 p.m.;
Saturday 10 a.m. -2 p.m.; closed

Sunday and Christmas Day
Fitness Center: Dec. 26, 8
a.m. - midnight; Dec. 31, 5 a.m. 6 p.m.; Jan. 1, closed; Jan. 2, 8

a.m. - midnight

Library: Closed Dec. 26 Commisary: Closed Dec. 26 Legal: Closed Tuesday at noon. Page 25000-1031, if needed.

EVENTS

Closures/Shifts

Commissary hours: The commissary is open on the following Sundays: Dec. 21 and Dec. 28, from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. The commissary will close Christmas Day, and open Dec. 31, from 10 a.m.-6 p.m.

Ocean View and Flight View Base Exchanges' operating hours: AAFES is extending the BXs' hours thru Tuesday, to 10 a.m.-8 p.m., except Sundays is 10 a.m.-5 p.m.

Military Personnel Flight facelift: Bldg. T-112 is being re-carpeted. MPF will move to the Non-Appropriated Funds area, NAF will move to the American Red Cross, and DoDDS will move to T-100.

Chapel Charities Closet: Bldg. T-426, will close Dec. 27 for the holidays and re-open Jan. 3. For more, call the Base Chapel at 2-4211, or Master Sgt. Brenda Graves at 2-1314.

PYOT: The Protestant Youth and Teens of the chapel are on-break for the holiday season. Meetings will resume Jan. 4 at 6 p.m. For more, call Senior Master Sgt. Jesse Hall at 295-549-708.

Classes

School registration: Embry-Riddle is holding registration for MGMT 331 Transportation Principles, which will be taught onsite Jan. 12-18. The deadline to register is Tuesday. For more or to register, call 2-3375.

scholarship: Spouse Thirty scholarships are awarded each year to spouses of active duty Air Force, National Guard, and Air Force Reserve. Deadline for applications to be received at Air Expeditionary Force headquarters is Jan. 31. The 2004 spouse scholarship applications are available at the AEF Web site http://www.aef.org, or by calling AEF directly at (800) 291-8480, and at the base education office. For more, call the base education office at 2-3355/5291.

Events

Project Cheer 3 on 3 basketball: 6 p.m., tonight at the fitness center. 18 years old and older. \$300 cash prizes. Call SrA Haylett at 2-6126 for more.

Chapel movie night: Children and youth of the chapel movie night at 7 p.m., tonight

at the chapel. For more, call 2-4211.

Men's breakfast: 8 a.m., Saturday at the chapel. For more, call 2-4211.

Singles movie night: singles of the chapel movie night at 7 p.m., Saturday at the chapel. For more, call 2-4211.

Co-ed X-Box tournament: 8 p.m.-12 a.m., Saturday at the community center. Active Duty members, age 17 and older. Complimentary refreshments. Call Sheryl Bush at 2-5216 for more.

Teen Christmas Party: 8 p.m.-12 a.m., Saturday at bldg. T240. Call Melvin Moore at 2-3273 for more.

A Time for Smiles: Tuesday, the youth program, in conjunction with ABC TV's Good Morning America, the B&GCA, and the national retailer Toys 'R Us, will be holding a holiday party for youth program members, kindergarten - 12 years old. Children will have an opportunity to visit Santa at the Youth Center and receive free toys. Parents must attend with their children during the scheduled time to visit Santa and receive a toy. Times are K-1St grade. 6-6:30 p.m.; 2-3rd, 6:30-7 p.m.; and 4-6th, 7-7:30 p.m. Call Joanne R. Cozart at 2-1197 for more.

Candlelight service: 7 p.m., Wednesday at the chapel. For more, call 2-4211.

Catholic carol sing: 11:30 p.m., Wednesday at the chapel. For more call 2-4211.

Christmas Mass: 10:30 a.m., Thursday at the chapel. For more, call 2-4211.

Watch Night Service: 10:30 p.m., Dec. 31 at the chapel. For more, call 2-4211.

Holiday Mass: The holiday vigil mass is at 7 p.m., Dec. 31 at the chapel and the holiday day mass is at 10:30 a.m., Jan. 1. For more, call 2-4211.

Youth New Year's: The Youth Program will host a New Year's Eve party from 6-9 p.m., Dec. 26, for kindergarten through 6th grade. There will be noisemakers, pop-its, cookies and sparkling cider for when the clock strikes 8 p.m. The event is \$5.25 for members. For more, call Joanne Cozart at 2-1197

Kids' matinee: 2 p.m., Dec. 26. at the base theatre. The theatre will have a special Saturday afternoon kids' matinee of Disney's "Brother Bear." Doors open at 12 p.m. Regular admission rates apply. Call 2-4100 for more.

Movie Marathon: 8 p.m.,

Dec. 27 at the base theatre. Doors open at 6:30 p.m., Scary Movie 3 will start at 8 p.m., followed by Mystic River and Kill Bill Vol. 1. with a 30 minute break between each show. Tickets are \$10 and include popcorn and drink. Tickets are already on sale. For more, call 2-4100.

Matrix weekend: Jan. 2-5 at the base theatre. Friday's showing will be at 10 p.m., Saturday-Mondays' showings will start at 7p.m. Doors open an hour and a half before the show time. Call 2-4100 for more.

Winter reading contest: Contest will run thru Jan. 31. Prizes will be awarded to the person who reads the most books. Stop by the library to pick up log sheet and rules of the game. For more, call 2-3688.

Volunteers/Jobs

Tax Advisor needed: A base tax advisor position is open through Wednesday. The contract runs from Jan. 12 - June 1. The job involves providing information, education and tax preparation services to Department of Defense and military personnel, dependents and all others entitled to legal assistance at Lajes. For more, call Maria Godinho at 2-3104 or Tech. Sgt. Gina Walker at 2-3123.

Records Assistance needed: The EDIS office at the 65th Medical Operations Squadron needs a volunteer medical records assistant to assist the program manager with administrative duties and customer service. This includes filing, making copies, setting up medical records. designing brochures and more. Call Peter Buttner, American Red Cross, for application information at 295-57-6412 or Mary Buxton at 295-57-1498 for job information.

Volunteers needed: Help is needed for the orphanage Christmas party. Visit the point of contact list posted on the Lajes social page, or contact Gina Walker at 2-3123 for more.

Gift-wrapping: Volunteers from organizations such as Chapel Charities, Defenders Association, Red Cross, School Fund Raisers and the High School Booster Club will take turns Sunday, wrapping customers Christmas purchases and accepting donations. Organizations inter-

ested in gift-wrapping for the upcoming holiday season can schedule Dec. 20. Call Jennifer Riano 2-3209 to sign up, or for more info.

US only theatre position: Immediate opening at the base theatre. Duties include working snack bar, light janitorial duties, and ticket sales. Applications are available at T-800 human resources office or at the theatre. Call Nelia Faria at 2-3634 or Laura Hillebrand at 2-4100 for more.

Positions available: The following positions are open at Lajes Elementary School, special education assessor, lunch room monitors, office/library clerk and substitute nurse. Visit the www.odedodea.edu/pers/employment/ for additional info and application materials. For more regarding these positions. call LES. 2-3491.

Undergraduate Flying Training Selection: The next UFT selection board will convene at the Air Force Personnel Center on March 2 and will review applications for Specialized Undergraduate Pilot Training, and Specialized Undergraduate Navigator Training. Those officers with a date of birth after April 1, 1974 and Total Federal Commissioned Service Date after April 1, 1999 who meet all eligibility criteria will be eligible to apply. Applicants must send applications postmarked by Jan. 12 to HQ AFPC/DPAOT3, 550 C Street West Suite 31, Randolph AFB TX 78150-4733. All applicants should review the UFT criteria as outlined in AFI 36-

Miscellaneous

Electric heaters available: The family services loan closet are loaning out electric heaters. Supplies are limited. Visit family services in T-125 or the family support center in T-126 to get one today.

Sports

Youth cheerleading: The youth center is accepting applications for the upcoming season. Youths 4-18 are eligible. Games will run from January-March 2004. Volunteer coaches are also needed. Cost: \$21/\$25 w/picture for members; \$31.50/\$35 w/picture for non-members. For more, call Jolene Wilkinson, 2-1197.